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MAY END WEDNESDAY

Closing Hours of the First Session of the 54th Congress.

RUSHING THE UNFINISHED WORK

Some Unexpected Subject, However, May Prolong the Session for Another Week—Programme of the Business in Hand.

Washington, June 8.—Unless all signs fail congress will adjourn this week and those in touch with the business of both houses appear to agree that the result may be reached by Wednesday. Still, conditions are such that a hitch may occur at any moment which will protract the session another week. This, however, while a possible contingency, is not expected. The business of the senate depends entirely upon the headway made with conference reports. Several of the appropriation bills are still to be disposed of, as follows: The Indian bill, upon which the house refused to act favorably on the conference agreed to in the senate; the post-office bill, the report on which was agreed to in the house Saturday and will be accepted by the senate to-day; the naval bill, which will doubtless be disposed of speedily to-day, as the conferees have already formulated a compromise which they believe will be acceptable to both houses; the sundry civil bill, upon which the house and senate seemed to be deadlocked over the appropriations for buildings inserted by the senate, and the district bill, numerous items of which are still in dispute. It is confidently expected, however, that all of them will be out of the way within the next forty-eight hours. The new deficiency bill, which passed the house Saturday, will be rushed through the senate to-day with all possible speed, it being the intention of the committee to move to lay on the table any amendments that may be offered, so that the bill will pass as it comes from the house. This motion to lay on the table is the only method the senate has in its rules to cut off all debate, and it will be appealed to literally when this measure comes up. The immigration bill is the unfinished business, and Mr. Lodge will call it up to-day for consideration if the opening presents itself.

Exceedingly Busy Session.

Mr. Hill, who is in charge of the contempt of court bill, a piece of legislation crowning out of the Debs case, is also anxious for consideration, and may lock horns with Mr. Lodge for the right of way. Mr. Geer will seek to fix a day during the next session when the Pacific railroad refunding acts shall be taken up. In this he may succeed as both friends and opponents believe that this subject should be settled one way or the other. All of these and other matters that may come before the senate will tend to make the next few days exceedingly busy ones, and if Mr. Allison, chairman of the committee on appropriations, carries out his previous expressed intention of not reporting the adjournment resolution until all the appropriation bills have gone to the president, there may be ample time to discuss several things upon which senators desire to speak. The course of business is, therefore, uncertain and a forecast is largely conjectural.

House of Representatives.

The house will devote itself for the remainder of the session to disposing of conference reports, contested election cases and of other business under suspension of the rules. It will meet for an hour to-day in continuation of Saturday's session in order to enable members to move the passage of bills under suspension, in accordance with the terms of the order of Friday last. There are two election cases on the calendar, both of which will be vigorously contested on the floor—T. W. Aldrich, rep., vs. Oscar W. Underwood, from the ninth Alabama district, where the committee recommend the seating of Aldrich, and Jacob Vost, rep., vs. H. George Tucker, dem., from the tenth Virginia district, where the committee recommend that Tucker retain his seat. Another case—that of U. T. Hopkins, rep., vs. Joseph M. Kendall, dem., from the tenth Kentucky district—has not yet been reported from the committee. These are all that remain of thirty-three contests filed with the clerk of the house.

late of Importance Accomplished.

The present congress enjoys the distinction of being the shortest "long" session congress for a period of thirty years. A senate passively indifferent in some instances, and in others actively hostile, with an executive not in sympathy with republican party policies, are the reasons assigned by the leaders of the house for the paucity of national legislation. Of the bills which did become laws, the most important, from an international standpoint, was the one creating a commission "to determine the true divisional line between Venezuela and British Guiana." Of scarcely less general importance were the bills prohibiting prize fighting in the territories; permitting apportionments in the army and navy of former United States officers who served in the rebellion on the

confederate side, and making one year's residence in a territory a prerequisite to obtaining a divorce there, excepting these, however, the remainder of the 225 bills and resolutions which received the president's approval were not of a nature to deserve extended mention.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CANVASS.

Bon, R. C. Kerens and Congressman Nathan Frank summoned to Canton, O.

St. Louis, June 8.—Saturday evening the Hon. R. C. Kerens, Missouri's national committeeman, and ex-congressman Nathan Frank left the city together for Canton, O. A telegram from Major McKinley was the cause of this trip—a telegram asking Mr. Kerens to come for a conference. Messrs. Kerens and Frank arrived in Canton at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They remained until 9 p.m., returning to St. Louis via Chicago. The brief telegram from Major McKinley gave no hint of the object of the conference. Among the arrivals last evening was W. B. Gaitree of Columbus, O., who will decorate the McKinley headquarters at the Southern hotel, this city, and superintend the distribution of badges, lithographs and literature. To-day there will be distributed in this city 10,000 lithographs of McKinley, and a badge will be given out, being a red ribbon bearing McKinley's picture and the words: "Patriotism, protection and progress; our nation's choice." The gavel which will be used in calling the convention to order was made from a timber in the building in which Missouri's ordinance of secession was passed. The gavel is now in the hands of Lee D. Bell of Nebbia, Mo. On May 26 he wrote to Chairman Carter tendering him the use of the gavel on opening the convention. Mr. Carter answered promptly, accepting the offer. The gavel is the handiwork of James Moore, an ex-confederate soldier and a republican.

An Appeal for the Negro.

The matter of accomodating the negro delegates at the hotels has begun to assume troubousome importance. There are sixty-six of these, including contestants. The Business Men's league, desiring to carry out every promise made in securing the convention, felt called upon last night to issue a general circular, from which the following is taken: "We ask that all places of entertainment, hotels, boarding houses and barrooms, at least for convention week, to accord to the reputable colored men who will come here representing their section and their people in the republican party, such treatments any reputable and respectable person would receive. It is not believed that a great many would want to accept the privilege, but it will be very humiliating if one of them visits their colleagues and friends, or alone, should present himself in any public place and be refused admittance or service. It is hoped that all will endeavor to meet the situation, as justice and propriety requires."

Priest's House Badly Damaged.

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## DYNAMITE IN SPAIN

Bomb Exploded During a Procession at Barcelona.

SIX PERSONS KILLED; 24 WOUNDED

Several Arrests Made, But the Police Have No Evidence to Convict—Several Houses Damaged at Orendain.

Barcelona, June 8.—The anarchists have resumed their activity in this city, and much fear is entertained that they will inaugurate another reign of terror similar to that which prevailed in 1892 and 1893, when there were many explosions here, in Madrid, and in other Spanish cities. At 9 o'clock last night a bomb exploded in a religious procession was taking place, and several persons were killed. The outrage has caused the greatest excitement. The authorities held a meeting subsequent to the explosion and resolved to take energetic measures to discover the author of the crime and to prevent further outrages. This is the second outrage or attempted outrage within a few days. During a religious procession on the feast of Corpus Christi a bomb was found in a dust heap near the cathedral. It was evidently the intention of those who placed the bomb where it was found to kill or maim some of those taking part in the procession.

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Six persons were killed by the explosion and twenty-four wounded. It is not known what explosive was in the bomb contained, but judging from its effects it must have been very powerful. The captain-general of the province of Barcelona acted as standard-bearer in the procession, while the civil governor and the city alcalde held the streamers of the banner. It is thought that the designers of the outrage contemplated killing these officials. The police think that perhaps they will be able to catch those responsible for the crime through the confession of some of the anarchists now under arrest.

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## HUNGARY'S CELEBRATION.

Crown Regalia Viewed by Hundreds of Thousands of People Yesterday.

Budapest, June 8.—The crown regalia was displayed yesterday in connection with the celebration in honor of the one thousandth anniversary of the founding of the Hungarian kingdom. The regalia was viewed by 600,000 persons, while 500,000 others were unable to gain admission to the building in which the emblems of royalty were displayed. The crowds in the city are enormous. The streets are impassable to vehicular traffic, and pedestrians find the greatest difficulty in getting from one part of the city to another. The hotels and boarding houses are filled to their utmost capacity. The railways are increasingly bringing in hundreds of visitors from the country districts. To-day there will be inaugurated on the plain of Pusztafa a monument to Prince Arpad. The site of the monument is where the first constitutional compact was made by Prince Arpad and the chiefs of the nation in the hall. The current will travel through a coil of wire 16,000 feet in length attached to the lyre in the hall, and this coil is to be split into small pieces mounted on dainty wires with appropriate inscriptions and presented to visitors. The first of the army of singers who will take possession of Pittsburgh this week reached the city last evening on a special train from Indianapolis and Dayton, O. Since then they have arrived on every incoming train.

## THE BERLIN RACES.

Discontinued Because of Jealousy of American Trainers and Horses.

Berlin, June 8.—The series of trotting races on the Berlin West End course has ended in discord which was wholly due to the jealousy of the Berlin horsemen of the American trainers and their horses. Through the intrigues of a German trainer named Trüber, the American trainer Tappan was ruled off the track for a year, it being alleged that he pulled his horse. The injustice of this action on the part of the managers of the course was so flagrant that several Berlin newspapers have taken up Tappan's case and violently denounced the racing authorities for the manner in which he has been treated.

## A. S. Chase Dies in Paris.

Waterbury, Conn., June 8.—Augustus Sabin Chase, the most prominent manufacturer in western Connecticut, a newspaper publisher and a banker, died in Paris yesterday of heart failure. He left Waterbury two and a half months ago for an extended European pleasure trip. His wife and two daughters were with him. His son, living, sailed last week to join the party, but he has not reached the other side. Mr. Chase was born in Litchfield, Conn., August 15, 1828.

## Sugar Bounties in Austria.

The contention of the German government, which has often been heard in the Reichstag in the course of the debates on the sugar bounty bill, that a large increase of the premiums upon sugar was the first step toward an international agreement to abolish sugar bounties altogether, has received a flat contradiction by the action of the Austro-Hungarian government in proposing bills in the Austrian Reichstag increasing the amount granted for the payment of the sugar bounties from 30,000,000 to 90,000,000 florins per annum. The measures introduced by the government are provisional, and purport to endure for one year only, but they are certain to become permanent laws, as there is a strong sugar interest in Austria. By the terms of these bills, the internal sugar tax is increased from eleven to thirteen florins per 100 kilograms, so that the consumers are thus squeezed all around, paying more for their own sugar and in competing with manufacturers in supplying cheaper sugar, the United States and England being the principal importers.

## Attired in the Pope's Vestments.

Prague, June 8.—At the re-dedication of St. Mary's church, the celebrant, Father Giuliano, wore the vestments worn by Pope Leo XIII at his coronation two years ago. The vestments are the property of Father Giuliano of St. Mary's, who, during a recent visit to

## Vestments Attired in Germany.

Dover, Del., June 8.—The single tax rates had a big rally here Saturday night. There was fireworks and bunting, speaking. The single tax was not mentioned from the mayor. At the meeting and consequently there was no interference by tax rates.

## CRETAN SITUATION

No Concerted Action of the Powers at All Probable.

GERMANY'S POLICY NOT HOSTILE

Russia Exerting a Practical Protectorate over Turkey, and Will Submit to No Attempt at the Dismemberment of the Sultan's Domain.

Berlin, June 8.—The concert of the powers relative to the situation in the island of Crete is of much the same character as was the now exploded entente of the powers in regard to Armenia, and all semblance of unity of purpose is certain to disappear upon the slightest approach to a collision of interests. The Cologne Gazette in an exhaustive article on the subject thoroughly lights up the situation. The Vienna Freie Presse, taking the text of Emperor Francis Joseph's speech to the Austro-Hungarian delegations, argued that the emperor's declarations gave proof that the dreibund powers were agreed upon a common policy toward Turkey: that the interests of Austria were also the interests of Germany, and that the dreibund was destined to intervene in Turkey almost immediately. These arguments are boldly and unequivocally attacked by the Berlin representative of the Cologne Gazette in a communication, wherein the writer pointedly declares that Germany will take no direct part in events in the east, and merely desires that order shall be maintained and the status quo continued. The policy of Germany upon this question, the writer adds, is identical with that of the other powers, and above all that of Russia. The Gazette in its article which accompanies this communication gives no hint, however, as to the drift of the czar's policy, to which Germany is alleged to be attached.

Russia's Protectorate Over Turkey.

The Vossische Zeitung in an article on the same subject asserts that Russia is exerting a practical protectorate over the Turkish empire, and will not under any circumstances allow any power to interfere, nor will she accede to anything tending towards a separation or dismemberment of the sultan's dominions. Pursuing the subject the Vossische Zeitung asks: "Will Russia so influence the negotiations of the powers as to cause delay which will enable the Turkish troops in the island of Crete, which have now been increased to 15,000 men, to overpower the Cretans and repeat the Armenian massacres?" The king of Greece and the Greek ministry seem to rely upon the warships which the powers have sent to Canea and Retimo to intervene in the event of a massacre of Cretans by the Turks, but at the same time the Greek fleet is being mobilized, and the ironclads Hydra, Spetsa, Psara, Georgios, the cruiser Admiral Miltzus and fifteen torpedo boats are ready to make their appearance in Cretan waters without the sanction of Russia. The unanimous voice of the Greek people shall compel the government to act. The Cretan delegates who are now at Athens have presented an appeal to the Greek government for a union of Crete with Greece which was drawn up by an assembly of Cretan deputies which was held at Vamos on May 21.

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## ON HODYNISKY PLAIN.

The Young Czar Reviews 50,000 Troops at the Scene of the Recent Horror.

Moscow, June 8.—The czar yesterday reviewed 50,000 troops on the Hodynsky plain, the scene of the great calamity, resulting in enormous loss of life, which attended the free distribution of food, etc., in connection with the coronation ceremonies. He wore the uniform of the Preobrazhensky regiment in which he was attired when he crowded himself. In going to the plain he rode a brown horse alongside of an open carriage in which were the czarina and Grand Duchess Maria Paulowna. This carriage was drawn by four cream colored ponies. A great crowd assembled to witness the review and their majesties were enthusiastically greeted when they appeared. The czar first rode slowly around the troops, who were drawn up in lines, and then went round them on a carter. The czar and czarina, accompanied by a brilliant suite and the visiting foreign princes, then went to the imperial pavilion, where the czarina took a position in the top balcony. The czar, still on horseback, stood a little in advance of his suite, and witnessed the march-past of the troops. The interest of his majesty did not flag throughout the ceremony. The weather was extremely warm.

## PADDLED THE PAYROLL.

A Confidential Clerk Robs His Employers of Several Thousand Dollars.

Clairemont, N. H., June 8.—Rudolph F. Volk, for many years employed in F. P. Maynard's shoe factory and for six years paymaster and clerk, was last week detected in appropriating the funds of the concern by carrying dummies on the payroll. In this way he abstracted from \$150 to \$250 a month. This has been going on for five years. Volk is of exemplary habits, is married and belongs to one of the best families in the vicinity. He made a full confession and freely made over to Mr. Maynard all of his visible property, amounting to \$3,000. Mr. Maynard declines to prosecute. Volk acknowledged that he has taken \$9,000, and the amount may reach \$12,000.

## ROUGH OCEAN VOYAGE.

The Steamer Indiana's Deck Fittings Damaged by Heavy Seas.

Queenstown, June 8.—The American steamer Indiana, Capt. Thompson, from Philadelphia, May 28, for Liverpool, reports having encountered head gales that swept away a portion of the bridge and the second officer, who was on duty thereon, was flung to the deck and seriously injured. A portion of the iron railing was smashed, and many of the deck fittings were washed overboard. The heavy weather and the shipping of seas caused a commotion among the passengers. They were confined to the saloon for several days, it not being safe for them to be about the decks.

## DE FELICE AGAIN ON TOP.

The Well-Known Socialist Leader Elected to Italian Chamber of Deputies.

Rome, June 8.—Signor Giuseppe de Felice-Giunfrida, the well-known socialist leader, who was recently released from prison, was yesterday elected to the chamber of deputies from the fourth district of Rome. He formerly represented this district, but was unseated because of his imprisonment for his connection with the socialist rioters in Sicily in 1892 and 1894. He was sentenced for eighteen years, but was given his liberty under a decree of amnesty. His opponent yes-today was Prince Odescalchi.

## Austin Corbin's Funeral.

New York, June 8.—The arrangements for the funeral of Austin Corbin have been completed. The services will be held in St. Bartholomew's church on Forty-fourth street to-morrow morning. There will be no pall bearers. Twenty directors of the different railroad enterprises in which Mr. Corbin was interested will meet the body at the church. One hundred employees of the Long Island railroad will attend the funeral in a body. The body will be taken to Woodlawn cemetery in Mr. Corbin's private car, and the interment will be in the family vault.

## Death of Adelina Sophia Motte.

New York, June 8.—Adelina Sophia Motte, 55 years old, died at her home yesterday of heart failure. Mrs. Motte was, in her day, a famous singer in the Ivory Coast comic opera companies which came to this country about fifteen years ago. Her voice was a mezzo-soprano, and she sang the parts of "Lulu" e "Putteneup" in "Invictus" and "Fluch" in the "Furias of Penzance."

## Three More Battleships.

Washington, June 8.—The naval conference have agreed upon three battleships. The limitation as to the price of the ships has been raised from \$550,000,000 to \$625,000,000. The limit on tonnage has been increased from 10,000 to 12,000,000, and the number of ships has been increased from three to four. The battleships will be built at the rate of one every three years, and the cost of each will be \$150,000,000.

## American Meats in Germany.

Berlin, June 8.—The foreign office has issued a communication to the press in regard to the practices indulged in by American tinned meat importers in Belgium and Holland who are alleged to be tampering with the cans and sending to Germany, under forged declarations, meats which have not been certified to by the American inspectors. As a consequence, restrictions have been ordered which will affect all American exporters of meats.

## Massacred by Kurds.

Athens, June 8

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**THE COMING OF VAL.**

Val's coming! Sing, birds in the maple-trees sweet, in storms at his beautiful home. O val! toss the violins over his way, And God guard the night, and give light to the day! The blossoms are blowing—the brown bees are humming, And a voice in my soul echoes still: "He is coming!" He's coming! a little well fellow, whose eyes are the blue and the dew and the dawn in his skin! Too sweet for a sorrow—too bright for a tear! His arms are the loveliest necklace I wear! The blossoms are blowing—the brown bees are humming, And a song in my soul echoes still: "He is coming!" He is coming, with kisses, far sweeter for this! I have missed through long winters his sleep and his kiss; And have heard not in any glad song of the birds! A music as sweet as his innocent words! The lilies are bending—the brown bees are humming, And a thousand sweet voices still sing: "He is coming!"

He is coming! (What joy doth the message impart!) Like a rose toss him here to my heart—to my heart! Soft music of the southland! From over the sea! Kiss the souls of the sweet ship that bears him to me! The daisies are blooming—the wild bees are humoring, And thank God for the music: "He's coming—he's coming!" —Frank L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

**HER DAY OF LIBERTY.**

BY LENA S. THOMPSON.

Mrs. Caleb Greene imagined herself a much-abused woman as she bustled about in her tidy kitchen one bright autumn morning. "I'm nothing but a household drudge—a drudge and nothing else! Who ever thinks I need a bit of pleasure?" and here her thoughts wandered to what her neighbor, Mrs. Mallory, had said, and which was the real cause of her discontent. "You don't never go nowhere, do you, Mrs. Greene? Why, if I couldn't go to the city every week, I should feel way out of the world. You can't keep in with the prevailing style if you don't see nobody but the village folks"—and then she told of the grand flower show in the great Casino, "where everybody is anybody" went, and of the new cape and bonnet she had bought in town.

Though Mrs. Greene was as well off as her neighbor, she did her own housework, preferring to save in that way something for a rainy day, while Mrs. Mallory was considered by the village people a very shiftless woman, who delighted in airing her knowledge of city life, which consisted of a year at boarding school in town. Soon after her marriage to "Jim" Mallory she set up housekeeping and kept one servant, which prodigality and elegance caused her to feel quite superior to her neighbors.

Martha Greene was a devoted wife, and usually thought the work she now called "drudgery" the most delightful thing in the world—for she enjoyed making a happy home for Caleb, whom she had married two years previous. Of late a spirit of discontent had gradually crept upon her, and its power was more apparent after each visit from Mrs. Mallory.

Martha was passionately fond of flowers. When the flower show was held the year before in the adjacent city she was too ill to visit it, but now there was no really good reason why she should not go. As the busy season for the farmers had come, when she asked Caleb to drive her to town he did not see how he could leave his work for even a day.

"He might go if he only thought so. I wonder how he would feel to come home some day and not find me here to wait on him. Perhaps he might realize then that I need a little amusement once in awhile, after working from morning till night. I believe I'll try it. I'd like to feel at liberty to do just as I please for one day!"

So, while musing on her troubles, Martha prepared the noonday meal for Caleb and the farm hands; for, however much she thought herself deprived of enjoyment, she was too good a housekeeper and homemaker to leave Caleb to provide his own dinner. She prepared everything with care, ready to be placed upon the table. But it seemed as if fate was to be against her that morning.

The stove was hard to manage—her doughnuts too brown and biscuit were not as light as usual—and just as she was getting ready to dress herself, old Mr. Porter called, prepared, as usual, to relate her "tale of woe" to any sympathizing listener.

"How could you be so thoughtless, dear," was what he said. "You made me very anxious, as you must know it was unsafe and venturesome for you to undertake the lonely walk home after nightfall. Thanks to Farmer Bigelow, you have reached home safely.

I should have started at once to meet you after the message came, but one of the horses had to be shod and so I must wait."

Martha will not soon forgive herself for causing her good husband so much trouble, but she wisely thinks that only by her deeds can she convince him that she has no more any longing for a "day of liberty."—Good Housekeeping.

A Canine Peculiarity. Everyone has noticed the peculiar habit of all dogs in turning round several times before lying down. This idiosyncrasy is believed to be due to the habits of the wild animal, which found it necessary to turn round in weeds or grass several times in order to break them down for a bed.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

—Marylanders are "Craw-thumpers," a slang name for the lobster.

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"What will Caleb do when he finds the little note by his plate?" she murmured to herself. "Gone to the city" and her name was all she had written. "Will he be so vexed that he will not meet me at the station when the evening train arrives?" But she had not told him when she was coming back; yet he must know that she would not stay in the city over night. Somehow, the more she thought about it the less attractive the city, with its flower show, seemed. By the time the train reached the depot she was so heartily sick of having her freedom that had there been an opportunity for her to return home at once she would have done so.

Following the evening, she entered the large building where the flowers were exhibited. At first the beauty and fragrance of the wonderful plants and blossoms overpowered her. The feathery chrysanthemums, the exquisite orchids, magnificent roses and snowy lilies—how beautiful they all were! How much more she would have enjoyed it if Caleb had been with her! The ladies, so finely dressed, with their gallant attendants, and the little children in their gay attire, seemed to belong with the flowers.

Tired and weary at last with what was, for her, unusual excitement, Martha was awestruck to hear, as she left the building, the clock striking the hour of five!

"What shall I do?" thought Martha only 15 minutes before the train leaves, and I shall not be able to get to the depot if I walk, and there is no room in the street cars, not even for 'one more'! I will call a cab and, perhaps, if the driver hurries, I may be there in time!

But in spite of all her efforts, the train was leaving as she came in sight of the depot.

Tears of remorse and vexation filled her eyes, and for a few moments she was so disappointed that everything—even the buildings and the people in the streets—seemed in a whirl; but after tired nerves recovered from the shock, she began to realize that something must be done, as it was already growing late.

Going to the telegraph office, she sent a message to her husband telling him she had missed the train and intended to walk home. She was very familiar with the way, and it was the time for the full moon; still she was rather timid about going alone, but she preferred that alternative to remaining in the city at a strange hotel. She had gone about a mile on her journey when she was overjoyed to hear a well-known voice say to her: "Mrs. Greene! Is it possible that you are walking alone? Where is Caleb? He's not sick, I hope? Jump into my wagon and I will see you safe at your door."

As Mr. Joseph Bigelow offered his hand to help her, she could have struck at his feet from fatigue and anxiety; thanking him, she told him she had missed the train and had thought the only way for her to get home was to walk.

"They say the posie show is a great thing," said Farmer Bigelow, "haven't you seen it? I heard Caleb saying at the post office, last night, as to how he was a-hurrying with his work, so as to take you there to-morrow to celebrate something—I didn't catch on just what it is. I suppose he charged his mind and left you go to-day."

"To-morrow, did you say?" asked Martha, very faintly.

"Yes, I'm sure he said it was a Thursday he spoke of, for he told Tom O'Brien he would let him have a day off, as he himself was going to take a walk to-morrow."

Every word the farmer spoke seemed like an arrow piercing her heart. What was to-morrow but her birthday! and while she had been thinking of Caleb as being thoughtless of her, he had been planning a surprise for her. As she reviewed her "day of liberty," how she hated herself for the utter foolishness and selfishness that she had shown! How worried and miserable she had made her husband! Would they never reach home that she might tell him she wanted no greater pleasure than to work and care for him?

After vainly trying to interest Martha in conversation, Joseph Bigelow gave up the attempt, thinking she must be asleep. The last two miles seemed endless, and when Martha saw the lights in the village she begged Mr. Bigelow to set her down at the foot of the lane leading to her house, as she was not afraid and it would take longer to go by the road. She thanked him again for his kindness, jumped from the wagon, leaving him to muse on "the peculiarities of most women."

Martha found the entry door open, and her husband bringing robes and shawls to put in the buggy, as the night was chilly after the sun had gone down. "Oh, Caleb!" she cried, and, sobbing as though her heart would break, she threw herself into his arms and told him her story.

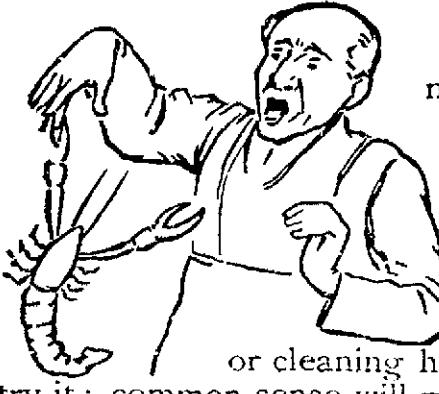
"How could you be so thoughtless, dear," was what he said. "You made me very anxious, as you must know it was unsafe and venturesome for you to undertake the lonely walk home after nightfall. Thanks to Farmer Bigelow, you have reached home safely.

I should have started at once to meet you after the message came, but one of the horses had to be shod and so I must wait."

Martha will not soon forgive herself for causing her good husband so much trouble, but she wisely thinks that only by her deeds can she convince him that she has no more any longing for a "day of liberty."—Good Housekeeping.

A Canine Peculiarity. Everyone has noticed the peculiar habit of all dogs in turning round several times before lying down. This idiosyncrasy is believed to be due to the habits of the wild animal, which found it necessary to turn round in weeds or grass several times in order to break them down for a bed.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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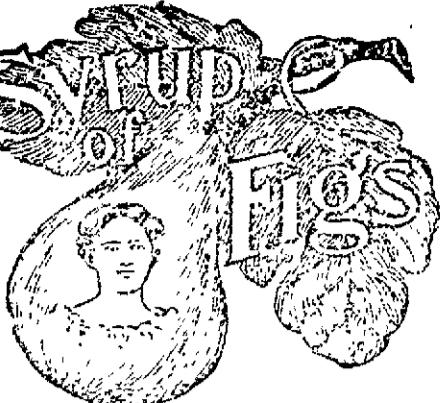
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## BIKE BUILT OF TOOLS.

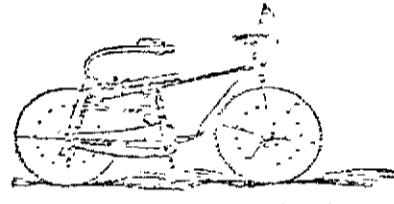
The Most Extraordinary Freak Machine Ever Constructed.

It Was Put Together by a Western Hardware Dealer from the Metal in His Store—it Runs, but Cannot Be Ridden.

The oddest bicycle in the world is owned by T. B. Shannon, of Blaine, Wash. It is safe to say that never before has a bicycle been so fearfully and wonderfully contrived. It was not built for active service, and there are few who would care to ride on it; yet from the ingenuity of its construction it has attracted a great deal of attention. It has used many juvenile minds with ambition to build one on a similar plan, and incidentally has depleted the toy-boxes of many households. For this bicycle is built entirely of tools.

Mr. Shannon is an enthusiastic wheelman, and he deals in tools for mills and forges, as the town has large shirt industries. He thought, perhaps, that such a wheel might serve a useful purpose in carrying on his business, if not his person. Desiring, therefore, to construct something thoroughly unique in appearance, he set to work to make a bicycle which should contain nothing that he did not supply. It was not built in a day, and a great many tools were tried before those actually used, were selected. He was sorely puzzled how to supply the frame and the sprocket wheel. He was greatly assisted, however, by several young friends who became so interested that their fathers and mothers heard of nothing but the new bicycle for over a week. It was finally decided to use for the frame of the machine two wood saws, a morsick, some wood-saw blades, and a pair of strap hinges. The wood saws were faced on either side of the rear wheel, one passing through their handles, at the other lower ends were riveted two sprocket-emery wheels, the beveling on a toer to form a groove on the dog's chain, which was employed as a sprocket chain and a very resemblance it made.

The wheels were two "French" saws. When the wheel was rolled round they looked like buzzsaws. Mr. Shannon was much annoyed when the boys said they were fitted with steel tips and punctureless tires. For the front fork two nickel steel rods were bolted firmly into cross-sent saw-handles.



THE BIKE BUILT OF TOOLS.

ions, passing through the iron and forming the front hub, while bushing it at each end of the middle hub all in place. Then came the problem of providing the head and handle bars; and almost every article in stock was taken out and its availability tested. It was finally decided to employ a carpenter's iron bed screw with an automatic push door bell attached. The bicycle was now nearly completed, but the horns of the builders were nearly shattered by their failure for some time to discover what would take the place of pedals and cranks. Finally one of the boys suggested two gridiron cranks which were secured in place by the use of a short nipple running through the sprocket wheel and resting on the two wood saws. The seat-spring was an ox bow, fastened to the frame by clamps; while for the saddle a stove iron was used. A small American flag was fastened to the handle-bar and a regular bicycle was complete. It can be rolled about without shaking to pieces, and will probably be seen before long in the various collections of freak wheels at bicycle shows throughout the country. The boys who helped build it feel justly proud.

## Where All the Timber Grows.

One of perhaps many little considered ways in which the forests of the country are being eaten up is in supplying timber for railway timber-work. There are 200 miles of trestle-structure in the United States, according to an estimate by the forestry division. This week has to be replaced entirely every nine years on an average; and every year timber amounting to 2,000,000 feet board measure, is used for this purpose. Nearly all the timber is cut from the largest and finest trees. The annual expenditure on this work is estimated at about \$7,000,000.

In 1845 a great fire occurred in New York, in which 35 persons were lost and \$7,500,000 worth of property consumed.

## DID YOU EVER

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your trouble? I did not get a bottle now and get rid of it. This in mine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Dizziness, Spells, or are Nervous, Sleekless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and \$1.00 at McMinn & Rogers' Drug Store.

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British Defeat the Dervishes.

London, June 8.—The Marquis of St. Alpheus, secretary of state for war, received a telegram, dated at 12 m., June 7, evening, from Sir Robert Baden-Powell, sirdar of the 12th Lancers, saying: "We surprised the dervishes at dawn at Mirket by a charge, gallantly holding them at the village, but were compelled to retreat and their retreat cut." We captured their camp."

Job and Sharkey To Box Four Rounds.

San Francisco, June 8.—James J. Corbett and Tom Sharkey met Saturday evening and signed articles to meet in a four-round contest at Mechanics' Hall in this city on June 23. By terms of the agreement, if Sharkey won his feet at the end of the fourth round, the match is to be declared a draw.

## Roanoke Commencement.

Salem, Vt., June 8.—The exercises of the 43d commencement of Roanoke College were begun yesterday with the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. Prof. S. A. Repass, D. D., of Allentown, Pa. His theme, based on St. John 11, 24, was the self-sacrifice of life, the way to the richest fruitfulness of a truly good life.

The German Empress and Mrs. Ulrich.

Berlin, June 8.—The empress was exceedingly gracious and friendly toward Mrs. Ulrich, the wife of the United States ambassador, upon the occasion of that lady's first audience with her majesty. The Kaiserin conducted her conversation in English and in every way made Mrs. Ulrich feel at ease. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich gave their first reception to the diplomatic corps at their residence in the Thiergartenstrasse.

## Chicago for Silver.

Chicago, June 8.—A special from Cincinnati: The election of delegates shew that the democratic state convention will be overwhelmingly for silver.

## Princeton Baccalaureate Sermon.

Princeton, N. J., June 8.—The baccalaureate sermon in connection with the 14th annual commencement of Princeton College was delivered in the quadriga-chapel yesterday by president Francis L. Patton. He chose for text: "We are the light of the world."

## King of Saxony Sectionally Ill.

Berlin, June 8.—The King of Saxony is seriously ill with renal colic.

## Czar and Czarina To Visit Berlin.

Berlin, June 8.—Official information has been received here that the czar and empress will come to Berlin about the middle of August and after completing their visit here proceed to Vienna.

## Their Last Drill as Cadets.

West Point, N. Y., June 8.—Last evening, at 6:30 the members of the graduating class participated in their last Sunday dress parade as cadets.

## Sunday Ball Games.

Paterson, 5; Hartford, 1; New Haven, 7; Newark, 6.

## Standing of the Clubs.

Per W. L. C. Cleve'd. 23 13. 639 Brook'n. 20 20. 53. Baltimore 26 15. 634 Chicago. 21 22. 48. Cincinnati. 26 16. 619 Pittsb'g. 18 20. 47. Philadelphia 26 16. 619 N. York 18 23. 43. Boston. 23 17. 575 St. Louis 12 26. 20. Wash'n 20 19. 513 L'ville. 9 52. 22.

## Condensed Testimony.

Chris. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a Cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Hotel St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of two years standing, caused by Latitude by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, N.Y., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor, because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E. 25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of Croup, because it immediately relieves. Five-Trial Bottles at McMinn & Rogers' Drug Store.

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## PORPOISE FISHING.

## A Profitable Industry Pursued in Winter Off Cape Hatteras.

During the summer porpoises are scattered all over the seas, and are a familiar sight to the steamship passenger, but when cold weather comes they fly upon which they feed, menhaden, herring, and other small fish that assemble in schools, go southward, and number by millions in the shallows lying between Ocracoke and Hatteras islands. Cape Hatteras is a barrier against the fierce winds from the north, and in the winter below it these little fishes seek a shelter. There, accordingly, thousands of porpoises congregate. There, too, men gather to fish for porpoises.

Usually there are about 20 men in a porpoise-fishing camp. There must be a sufficient number to man four boats and as many seines. The boats are distributed at three stations along shore. Two of them are together in one spot, while the third is a mile above, and the fourth a mile below. Each boat has a seine on board. Lookouts are continually stationed upon high bluffs to watch for game, and they signal with flags when a school of porpoises is coming.

Suppose the porpoises are coming down the coast. Warned in time by the signals, the men at the station furthest south rapidly row their boat out to sea, dropping their seine as they go. If the thing has been properly managed, they have been in time with their net to head off the first of the animals. As soon as the school, or most of it, has got past the station furthest north the boat from that point is run out, dropping its seine on the way. Thus the porpoises find themselves hemmed in between two forces of net, each stretching a mile out into the ocean.

They might easily escape by swimming seaward, save for the fact that meanwhile the two boats from the middle station have put out a mile from land, not dropping their seines on the way, but extending them on a line parallel with the shore, and joining the two seaward extremities of the other seines. In this way is made within a few minutes a rectangular pen two miles long and one mile broad, in which the toothless beasts are confined. They could easily get out of course, by breaking through the nets, inasmuch as their strength is enormous, but they do not think of that.

The porpoises thus inclosed are surrounded with smaller seines and drawn in shore, where they are kept in a pond until the fishermen wish to kill them. Sometimes as many as 20 will be secured at a single haul. The fishery is very profitable, because there are several products or the porpoise which are valuable. The skin and fat are excellent leather. Upon being stripped from the animal, the bladders are salted down, tanned crudely and shipped to northern markets, where they are used in the manufacture of shoes, traveling bags and other goods. This leather has a particularly fine grain, and boots made from it derive a water-proof quality from the natural oil of the skin. The highest priced porpoise leather, which is very costly indeed, is obtained from the unborn young. It is of a most delicate texture and expertly tanned.

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Everyone has heard of porpoise oil, which is used for watches and other delicate machinery. It is one of the most costly oils known, because only a few ounces of it are got from each animal. It is obtained from the fat, being tried out from the bones after the skin and flesh have been removed. There is another sort of oil of very little value, procured from the fat beneath the skin and from the liver and other viscera. These are worth from 25 cents to \$1.00 apiece, the latter being paid for the best skins of uniform cut. A school of 200 represents about \$700 to the fisherman. No body has attempted to make any use of the skeletons, which are scattered by tons of thousands along the shore below Cape Hatteras.—N. Y. Sun.

17TH DAY OF JUNE 1866.

At two o'clock, the hour of that day, the family and friends in our judgment numbered about 150,000,000,000.

All that forest or park of land, situated in the city of Middlebury, Vermont, known as the "Kingsley's" property, is a very choice and valuable piece of land.

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MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1896.

CITY OF MIDDLETOWN.

The Democratic electors of the several wards of the city of Middletown will meet on Tuesday evening, June 10, at 8 o'clock, to select delegates to attend the Assembly Convention to be held to-morrow. The following places have been selected to hold primaries:

1st Ward—McGinnis Engine House.  
2nd Ward—Phoenix Engine House.  
3rd Ward—Gumman Hotel.  
4th Ward—Holding House.

By order of City Committee.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

May 16th, 1896.

The Democratic Electors of the several Assemblies of the State of New York are requested to send three delegates from each of the said districts to attend a State Convention to be held at Scranton, on the 21st day of June, at 12 m. The number of delegates sent by each of the districts to which the State of New York is entitled to the National Democratic Convention, to be held at Chicago, on the 7th day of July next.

J. W. KIRKLEY, Chairman.

JOHN CUNNEEN, Secretary.

ASSEMBLY DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The members of the Second Assembly District of Orange County are requested to meet at the respective places at which the last town or ward elections were held on the 1st day of June, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m., and all persons authorized by the towns or wards committee for the purpose of choosing delegates to represent them in a convention to be held in the Assembly Rooms, in the city of Middletown, on Saturday, June 20, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m., and to send the same to the Democratic State Convention to be held at Scranton on June 21st, 1896, in order to transact such other business as may come before the convention. By order of Assembly Committee.

W. H. CRANE, Chairman.

The Fleming murder trial is breaking the record for being all that such a trial should not be. The prosecuting attorneys, in their anxiety to win professional honors by a conviction, have resorted to sharp practices in the way of introducing evidence, which give color to the charge so often made by the leading attorney for the defense that they are thirsting for the accused woman's blood and, in measure, excuse the rascally and turbulent conduct of Mr. Brooke and afford at least a plausible pretext for his charges that witnesses for the prosecution are swearing to something more than the truth.

The *Herald*'s Washington correspondent quotes a member of the Cabinet, who is not named, as authority for the statement that rather than support a free silver Democrat on a free silver platform, President Cleveland and some members of his Cabinet will vote for McKinley, if he is nominated on a gold platform. At first this announcement is enough to make the average Democrat breathless and speechless, but it is not so surprising after all. It merely means that the President and some of his advisers in the Cabinet regard the currency question as paramount to and dwarfing all others that are before the country, and that rather than have the nation's good faith endangered and the country plunged into the depths into which debased money will surely bring it, they are prepared to accept the lesser evils of high protection, centralization of power and the reckless expenditure of public money that has always characterized Republican control of the affairs of government.

AN EPIDEMIC OF PNEUMONIA.

A Delaware County Village Where the Disease is Causing Many Deaths.

Pneumonia, which quickly assumes a typhoid form, and is particularly fatal, has broken out at Merlewoodville, a small village in Delaware county. There have been four deaths and as many more are sick unto death. A peculiarity of the disease is that at its first appearance the victims become drowsy until death results, or, as has happened in a few cases, recovery begins. There seems no way of accounting for the prevalence of the disease for in a number of cases persons attacked had not been near any one suffering from the disease.

THE ACADEMY'S CORNER STONE.

To be laid Thursday afternoon with appropriate ceremonies.

The corner stone of the new academy will be laid Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock with appropriate ceremonies. The address will be delivered by Hon. W. R. Skinner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. The pupils of all the schools are expected to attend the exercises and to join in two grand choruses.

Meeting of Casino Stockholders.

A duly convened meeting of the Casino stockholders was held in the Casino, this morning, to consult upon a line of action with reference to the sale of the building under foreclosure proceedings June 11th. The meeting was entirely harmonious and adjourned to meet again at a future day.

UNCLE SAM IN A BAD WAY.

For the next 3 years.

The *Herald*'s cartoon represents Uncle Sam as very sick indeed. He has a silver legislative umbrella broken in a jagged ring, both the poles and handle bent sideways by the river and harbor bill, but he nevertheless is in a fever. The Fifty-fourth Congress will doubtless have the cover of sight and in turn to "swipe" the umbrella.

Dxzom is a frightful affliction, but like all other skin diseases it can be painlessly cured by applications of Dr. Wm. W. Hood's Sarsaparilla. It never fails to cure piles, W. D. Olney.

## SECOND WEEK OF SUPREME COURT

The Suit Against the Town of Monroe Settled—Another Milk Case—The Newburgh Electric Light Co. Suit.

GOSHEN, June 8.—The suit of Abraham G. Hooley against the town of Monroe, to recover for very serious injuries sustained by falling from an injured wooden bridge in that town, last fall, was settled, Saturday, plaintiff agreeing through his attorneys, Van Ameren, Watts & Vail, to accept \$6,500 and expenses in settlement of his claim. Mr. Hooley has been in Goshen for a week, stopping at Dr. J. H. Thompson's. Much interest was felt in the case and many were present expecting to hear it tried. M. H. Hirschberg and W. F. O'Neill were the attorneys for the town.

In my Friday's report I neglected to state that in the adulterated milk suit against W. H. Ebb's a verdict for \$100 was rendered against the defendant.

Mr. H. B. Fullerton moved, this morning for a new trial in the J. K. Stoer milk case, in which the jury found for defendant. The motion was made with a view to an appeal.

The court decided that the case of Emma Priddle against the Newburgh Electric Light and Gas Company, which was tried, Friday, should go to the jury, and the case was summed up by W. F. O'Neill for the defendant, and J. M. Gardner for plaintiff.

## Must Find Another Lounging Place.

The railing which surrounds the plot of Congregation Beth-Israel in Hillside Cemetery has been used as a seat until the rail in many places has been bent and twisted. The trustees of the congregation asks us to give public notice that sitting on this railing must stop, for if the receiver of the country cannot prevent it, they will find a way of doing it.

## Will Pay Its Leading Chor Singers.

Trinity M. E. Church, Newburgh, is to try the experiment of a salaried choir. The four leading voices are to be paid, but the other members of the choir are expected to sing for nothing. It's dollars to doughnuts that in a few months there will not be a volunteer voice in the choir.

## Georgia Minstrels at Midway Park.

Supt. Urban announces the appearance of the Helm's & Task's Georgia Minstrels at Midway Park, afternoon and evening during this week. Performances at 3 and 7:30 o'clock. The evening performances will conclude with a cake walk. Admission free.

## Heavy Travel on the 3, and W.

The Ontario and Western express, "the night line," was run as a double header, Saturday, on the northern and middle divisions. The train was composed of nine crowded passenger coaches.

## A Silver Trowel for the Academy Corner Stone Laying.

The graduating class of Wallkill Academy will present the Board of Education with a silver trowel, to be used in laying the corner stone of the new academy on Thursday.

## Found Dead in Her Bed.

Coroner Decker was called to Florida, to-day, by a telegram announcing that Mrs. Palmer, who lived in that village with a widowed daughter, had been found dead in bed, this morning.

## No Indictment Against Mrs. Whittaker.

The grand jury will be discharged, this afternoon. They have failed to find any indictment against Mrs. Whittaker, accused of poisoning her parents in Port Jervis.

## Their First Communion.

Twenty-one boys and thirty-six girls received their first communion at the 9 o'clock mass in St. Joseph's Church, yesterday.

## Bank

President Isaac Lewis of Sabina, Ohio, is highly respected all through that section. He has lived in Clinton Co. 75 years, and has been president of the Sabina Bank 20 years. He gladly testifies to the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and what he says is worthy attention. All brain workers find Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiarly adapted to their needs. It makes pure, rich, red blood, and from this comes nerve, mental, bodily and digestive strength.

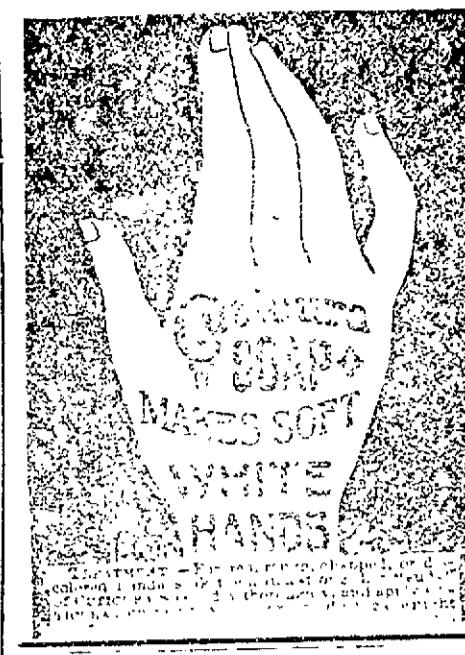
"I am glad to say that Hood's Sarsaparilla is a very good medicine, especially as a blood purifier. It has done me good many times. For several years I suffered greatly with pains of

## Neuralgia

in one eye and about my temples, especially at night when I had been having a hard day of physical and mental labor. I took many remedies, but found help only in Hood's Sarsaparilla which cured me of rheumatism, neuralgia and headache. Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved itself a true friend. I also take Hood's Pills to keep my bowels regular, and like the pills very much." ISAAC LEWIS, Sabina, Ohio.

Hood's Sarsaparilla  
is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists \$1. Prepared only by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Wm. W. Hood's Sarsaparilla. It never fails to cure piles. W. D. Olney.

Dxzom is a frightful affliction, but like all other skin diseases it can be painlessly cured by applications of Dr. Wm. W. Hood's Sarsaparilla. It never fails to cure piles, W. D. Olney.



## THE ASYLUM B. B. C.'S BENEFIT

The Thalia Club's Entertainment for the Base Ball Fund.

A fine chance will be offered the public to-night, to aid in starting the State Hospital's patients' summer amusement, base ball. Dr. Talcott, for the first time, has opened the Hospital's amusement hall to the public. Three one act plays will be given by the Thalia Club for the benefit of the famous Asylums, to be reorganized this season. Berg's orchestra will render fine selections. Supt. Urban has arranged for special cars. You are sure of a pleasant evening. Get your tickets at Dusenberry & Son's. Reserved seats may be had from Mrs. D. H. Arthur.

## Gone Trout Fishing.

John Ficken and Adrian Jackson, of New York city, and Jacob Gunther, of this city, went, to-day, to Livingston Manor trout fishing.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, No. 3 North Street, Middletown, N. Y.—Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

	Yesterd.	Today	Close
Sugar	124 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
A. T. & S. F.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
C. B. & Q.	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Chester Gas	65 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
D. L. & W.	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Dis. & Cat. F.	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Eric.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
General Electric	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
L. & N.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
L. S.	151 1/2	151 1/2	151 1/2
M. P.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
N. Y. & N. E.	93	93	93
N. Y. C.	165 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Susquehanna & Western	24	24	24
O. & W.	14	14	14
Manhattan	165 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Southern Ry.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
S. & R.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
R. I.	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
U. P.	7	7	7
W. Union	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Nat. Lead.	252	252	252
July Wheat	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
July Corn	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
July Oats	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
July Pork	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
July Lard	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2

Out of weakness comes strength when the blood has been purified, enriched and vitalized by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A healthy appetite with perfect digestion and assimilation, may be secured by the use of Ayer's Pills. They cleanse and strengthen the whole alimentary canal and remove all obstructions to the natural functions of either sex, without any unpleasant effects.

## MARRIED.

DEVON.—In this city, June 7th, '96, by Rev. Frank A. Heath, Sylvester B. Devon and Mary Byrne, both of Middletown.

## DIED.

SPELMAN.—In this city, June 7th, '96, Patrick A. Spellman, aged fifty-four years. Funeral Wednesday, at nine-thirty, from his residence, 20 Prince street, and from St. Joseph's church at ten o'clock, with solemn requiem high mass. Interment in family plot, St. Joseph's Cemetery.

BARNES.—In this city, June 7th, '96, Martha D., wife of William H. Barnes, aged thirty-one years. Funeral Wednesday, at one o'clock, from her late residence, 36 Canal street. Burial at Plains Cemetery, Olivetville.

CLARK.—At Scotland, June 7th, '96, Daniel R. Clark, aged seventy-two years.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon, at one-thirty (1:30) o'clock, at his late residence, in family plot, Scotland Cemetery.

DOYLE.—At New Hampton, June 6th, '96, James Doyle, aged sixty-three years.

Funeral services will be held at nine-thirty, from the house, and ten-thirty at St. Joseph's church, with requiem high mass. Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

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## DAILY ARGUS.

MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1893.

## OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY C. E. CRAWFORD.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Local rains to-night and to-day; to-night thunderstorms to-night; cooler. To-day: south-westerly winds, becoming westerly.

## THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the register of the thermometer at Prof. E. C. Draper's residence, to-day: 7 a.m., 68°; 12 m., 89°; 3 p.m., 75°.

## AMUSEMENT RECREATION.

—Thurs.—The Club at State Hospital.  
 —Thurs.—Elmira Young People's Festival.  
 —Thurs.—Entertainment at 1st Presbyt. Church.  
 —June 11—Old Folks' memorial services.  
 —June 15-20—Art Carriage, at Midway Park.  
 —June 15—Taxpayers' vote on additional school building appropriation.  
 —June 15—Indoor and outdoor entertainments at the Assembly Hall.  
 —June 15—Lawrence and wife, illustrated sketches, at Midway Park.  
 —June 21—Wingfield Academy's commencement.  
 —June 25-July 1—D. Van, at Midway Park.  
 —July 4-11—Troop of Trained Pugs, at Midway Park.  
 —July 22-28—D. Morillo & G. S. Sandoval at Midway Park.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Church of Our Lady's Crown Bazaar.  
 —Middletown's testimonial Ms.—Dr. Davis' Kidney Pills.  
 —H. O. makes a good breakfast.  
 —Lydia Prughan—woman's friend.  
 —Brown's kidney pills for sale by J. J. Chambers.  
 —McGinn's flowers for sale by Mulvey's Flower Co.  
 —Wrappers' dresses at Walker & Demarest's.  
 —Papineau, the Tailor at 620, B. Adams & Co.  
 —Pork liver pellets for sale by J. J. Chambers.  
 —Fruit for flavors by McMonagle & Rogers.  
 —Canton fruitcake for sale by E. H. Grayson.  
 —First-class meat at Koch's Market.  
 —E. S. Smith is closing out Bargains.  
 —Best flour and wine—see Mr. J. J. Chambers.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—The Wallkill hat works will start up the finishing room W-dnesday.

—Hear the cantata at the First Presbyterian Church, Friday evening, June 12th.

—The Monhagen Klum Klub goes to-morrow to Little Round Pond, near Monroe to fish and eat clams.

—A California trout, which weighed five pounds and ten ounces, was caught near Delhi last week.

—A number of saloons in this city, which were closed by the Rainy Law, are now engaged in the sale of "second-hand" beer.

—Mrs. J. F. McFatty and son, of this city, who have been visiting friends in Norwich, returned home Saturday.

—Mr. C. F. Darrow was in town, to-day. The new directory of Middletown, of which he is one of the publishers, will be ready for delivery next week.

—Five hundred loads of refuse have been taken from Walton's reservoir, which is now said to be much cleaner than when first built.

—Car No. 18 ran over and killed a dog on N-w street, yesterday morning. As the dog was unmuzzled there will be no inquest and no suit for damages.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mapes and son, of Port Jervis, spent Sunday in this city with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Marvin, on Roberts street.

—The Matzenwau Straw Works, which ended its season's work, Saturday night, has paid out during the year \$40,000 in wages.

—The Associated Charities of Newburgh have received a bronze medal in recognition of their Penny Provident Fund exhibit at the World's Fair.

—Special cars will be run from Franklin Square to the State Hospital, between 7.15 and 7.45, to-night, for the accommodation of those attending the baseball benefit.

—Some there are so harsh in judgment as to be lost to all sense of sympathy. Others there are whose sympathies are so masterful as to leave no room for the exercise of judgment.

—You must not fail to attend the Thalia Club benefit for the Asylum ball team, this evening, in Amusement Hall. These one act plays will be produced. Williamson, the New York artist, will "make up" the actors in the various plays. Be sure to go to.

## PERSONAL.

—Miss Maud Wright, of Goshen, is the guest of Miss Mayde Thompson.

—Mr. John C. Nugent, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday in town with friends.

—Thos. Watts, Esq., went to Utica, this morning, to attend a session of the Court of Claims.

—Mr. Charles Sellars, of Brooklyn, is visiting his mother, Mr. Jacob Gauthier, of No. 2 Broad street.

—Miss Nellie Low, of Newburgh, who has been visiting Miss Margaret P. Beale, returned home, Saturday afternoon.

—Dr. Francisco, of Mechanictown, has received the appointment of interne at the State Hospital and has entered upon his duties.

—Mr. Harry Wilson, who has been visiting his mother and other relatives in this city, went to Boston, to-day, where he will reside with his sister, while completing his medical studies.

## INSPECTING THE O. AND W.

The Board of Directors, of the O. and W., passed through this city, to-day, on a special train, on a tour of inspection of the road.

—GOOD'S PILLS cure Liver, Ills., Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache, A Pleasant Tonic—All Druggists.

## DIED IN A DRUNKEN STUPOR.

Death of Robert Quigley, a Town of Mount Hope Farmer, Under Most Distressing Circumstances—Choiced to Death While Helpless as a Result of Excessive Drinking.

Robert Quigley, a well known farmer of the town of Mount Hope, was found dead in his wagon, at his home between Otisville and Howells, at an early hour yesterday morning.

Mr. Quigley came to this city, Saturday, and cashed a milk check. He made several purchases and paid several bills. Being a man of convivial habits he indulged in several drinks and finally started for his home. He drove to Otisville, however, where he had several more drinks. His hired man, Homer Hayes, wondored at his employer's absence and learned from a neighbor that Mr. Quigley was in Otisville. He went there to induce him to return home. He found his employer in a helpless condition and made a comfortable bed for him in the bottom of the wagon in which Mr. Quigley was placed and taken home. Upon their arrival at the farm, Mr. Hayes was unable to arouse his sleeping employer and he drove the wagon into the carriage house, where, after covering Mr. Quigley with a blanket, he let him to sleep, a proceeding which was not at all unusual with him.

Yesterday morning, Mr. Hayes arose at an early hour and went to call his employer. He was not in his room and Mr. Hayes, when he went to the carriage house, was horrified to find that Mr. Quigley was dead.

Dr. Taylor, of Otisville, and Dr. Davis, of Howells, were summoned and they pronounced his death due to strangulation induced by vomiting while lying on his back; also to hypostatic pneumonia.

Coroner Darcker was summoned and after hearing the evidence in the case granted a death certificate.

Mr. Quigley was a son of the late John Quigley and was thirty-eight years and six months old. He never married and an only brother George, died two years ago. His only surviving relative is his stepmother.

The funeral will be held at his late residence, Tuesday, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Otisville.

## ERIE EXCURSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

## SPECIAL RATES TO THE O. U. A. M. AND NATIONAL Y. P. S. C. F. CONVENTIONS.

On account of the National Council of the O. U. A. M. the Eds will sell excursion tickets to Denver, Col., on June 11th and 12th, for \$51.25 for the round trip. Tickets will be good for continuous passage only in each direction and the return portion can only be used between June 20th and 25th unless tickets are deposited with the joint agent at Denver when an extension of return limit may be obtained up to and including July 15th. Two dollars will be charged by the Denver agent for a certificate which added to the cost of the ticket makes the entire cost \$53.25 for the round trip.

On account of the national convention of the Y. P. C. E. at Washington, D. C., July 6, 7 and 8, the Eds will sell round trip tickets good going on the above dates and returning on or before July 15th. An extension of time until July 31st will be granted by depositing tickets with the ticket agent at Washington on or before July 14th. Tickets will be sold for the round trip at the regular cost one way, viz \$8.35.

## NO FAITH IN JAIL REPENTANCES

## JUDGE CLEARWATER, OF ULSTER COUNTY, UNMOVED BY PLEAS OF SANCTIMONIOUS PRISONERS.

—Simon B. Williams, who had pleaded guilty to burglary and Stephen Van Ness, a dusky negro, who had confessed to highway robbery, were arraigned for sentence, Friday, in the Ulster county court. Both made long pleas for clemency on the ground of conversion while in jail, but Judge Clearwater, who said he had little faith in jail conversions, gave Williams the full sentence allowed by law and put Van Ness away for two years and five months.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT NOMINATIONS

## THE OLD OFFICERS RECOMMENDED WITHOUT OPPOSITION.

The annual convention of delegates from the several companies of the fire department of this city was held Saturday evening at Ex-soldier's tug &amp; house.

The old officers were all recommended and the ticket to be voted on tomorrow evening will be as follows:

Chief Engineer—Edwin H. Thorpe.

1st Asst. " " Cleon H. Davis.

2d Asst. " " Daniel S. Scott.

Secretary—Ed. E. Corwin.

Treasurer—F. M. Corwin.

## LONG RUNS FOR ERIC PASSENGER ENGINES.

Eric engine 825, drawing the Wells Fargo Express, made the eastbound trip from Susquehanna to Jersey City, Friday night, running on schedule time.

The same engine made the trip west, Saturday, drawing train 1. It is expected that if this experiment of long runs proves successful and satisfactory will first class engineers and firemen will make the same run as passenger conductors, from Jersey City to Philadelphia and return.

## THE ERIC'S HALF-HOLIDAY TRAIN.

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## A LARGER WATER SUPPLY.

THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS MEETING SATURDAY NIGHT.

Much Discussion of the Engineers' Report but no Conclusion Reached—President Banks' Long Communication—Commissioners Fellowes and Rogers Not Prepared to Accept the Plan Recommended by the Engineers—A Vote to be Taken Next Monday Night.

A meeting of the Water Board was held Saturday evening, at 8:30, all the members and the Superintendent being present.

The Superintendent reported that it would take about 3-5 feet of pipe for the Vail avenue extension, which was referred to him at the last session of the Board. On motion of Mr. Fellowes, the Board resolved to lay a four inch pipe up Vail avenue, about 325 feet.

The Superintendent reported that Mr. Luckey wanted water for sprinkling purposes at the cemetery, not to be used by hose but drawn from a tank, and that a one inch tap would be ample to supply all the water wanted. It was voted to grant the application, the water to be put in from Wilkes avenue. The rate was made \$10 a year.

TO BLOW OUT THE MAINS.

Mr. VanDuzer stated that he had not been able to blow out the mains the past month, but that he intended doing so next Sunday, June 14th. Water consumers should take particular notice of this, as the pressure at that time will be greatly reduced.

The Superintendent will notify all consumers, either personally or through the dispensers, later in week, of the time he will blow off the mains.

The Superintendent reported that he had purchased of Mr. Uhlman of the Tractation Company, two boats for the use of the department at a cost of ten dollars each.

Mr. Fellowes called the attention of the Board to the fact that last year a resolution was passed ordering all private boats off the reservoirs.

THE PRESENT SUSTAINED.

Mr. Fellowes offered the following resolution which was seconded by Mr. Rogers.

Resolved, that the President was in error in taking from the Water Board off the original report of the engineers without first obtaining the consent of the Board.

Mr. Fellowes said that there was a resolution on the books that no books, maps, papers, etc., should be taken from the office without the consent of the engineers, and that he had made an effort to see the report at the office, but found that the President had not let the same with the clerk, and that he had instructed the clerk to see that it was returned, but the clerk was unable to get it.

The President stated that the report came to him, and he had copies made of the same for each member; that at the time Mr. Fellowes asked the clerk for the report, the same had not been lodged in the office, that it was in his possession, and he had kept it to more carefully examine and read; that he had violated no rule of the Board.

Mr. Douglas said that at the special meeting at which the report was accepted, Mr. Bonk had asked permission to retain the original report, and no objections had been made.

After further discussion, the President put the motion, Mr. Fellowes and Mr. Rogers voting aye, and Mr. Stratton and Dr. Douglas against, and the same was declared lost.

A CONVENTION FOR THE PRESIDENT.

The President ordered the roll called, which motion was referred and ordered delayed on file.

Middletown, N. Y., June 6th, 1896.

Georgetown Board of Water Commissioners of Middletown, N. Y.: Before we take up our report engineers' to the Board, dated May 15th, 1896, for consideration, I desire, as your President, to bring all your attention to certain facts in relation to your obtaining a sufficient and reliable supply of water.

The reports of Messrs. Tracy and Smith, and Messrs. Cross and Tracy, have been made and submitted to us, for examination, and the report of Mr. Tracy and Mr. Rogers, voting aye, and Mr. Stratton and Dr. Douglas against, and the same was declared lost.

In some of our reports we should show to some individual cases and situations, as, instances of lack of water, as a general rule, in these parts.

The time is ripe, in my opinion, for a plan of action, and one such as the plan known as the "Plan No. 2" in the Shewman and King's Report, and I entirely intend to have it, as it will not afford in the same manner anything like the water which can be obtained by either of the other plans suggested. The engineers' report is dated May 15th, 1896, with the following figures for water to be obtained:

One large 10" pipe, 1.5 miles in length, will supply our city with 1,000,000 gallons of water daily, and will be sufficient for all the needs of our city, and it becomes necessary to take the water from the Halcott Lake, and by any means obtain, we then would have to adopt one of the other plans recommended, and the more expedient of the two, the "Plan No. 2" would be the best loss to our people. Our city has about twelve square miles of watershed, from which we can obtain additional water supply.

The drainage area available to this pipe line is only 1,400,000 square yards, and we can't hope to obtain in anything like the water which has so far absorbed the reservoir, the amount which could be had, large enough to take the water which comes when we have no water.

Then this plan gives no additional storage capacity. The experience of the last few years shows clearly the need of having ample storage reservoirs, so that we may be able to take and hold the water when it comes.

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which we ever get, and comes in sufficient quantities to supply our city with all the water it can need for many years if we are only in shape to hold and retain it.

I am in favor of that plan recommended by our engineers, which gives us the largest storage capacity and makes available all the drainage area that can be added to our present water supply. We have expended large sums of money in having our sources of additional water supply carefully examined and surveyed, and all the engineers agree that we should have a reservoir on the Little Shawangunk so that we may be enabled to take water from both the Shawangunk and Bineawater streams as we may need it.

Individual opinions and preferences should not stand in the way of making a decision on part of this Board.

We do not now have anything like as much water in our reservoirs as we did a year ago to day. Much more water is used every year and unless we make provisions at once to obtain a greater supply our city may soon have a water famine.

The water pumped into our mains from the Ogden arm is largely impregnated with lime and other mineral substances, the action of which upon pipes, steam boilers and engines is to a large extent damaging.

The pumping plant costs in round numbers to operate and maintain vary nearly \$3,500 a year. This is equal to the interest on \$100,000 at 3% per cent. This should be saved and applied in paying the interest on the cost of obtaining additional water.

The interest on our water bonds was last year \$9,468.34; our water rents for the same time were \$32,200.71.

All of which is respectfully submitted, A. V. BOAK.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

A bill of Mr. J. J. R. Cross for examination and report on sources for additional water supply of \$400, was ordered paid.

The Clerk read a letter from the Thompson Manufacturing Company in regard to their bill for meters, and on motion the Clerk was directed to ask the Thompson Manufacturing Company to have a representative of their company at the regular meeting in July.

Clerk read request from Mr. William Hulman for an extension of the main pipe on East Main street for a distance of about seventy feet to the end of Woodlawn avenue. On motion of Dr. Douglas the request was granted. A draft for \$17.01 for disbursements made by Clerk was ordered.

Mr. Fellowes stated that the Thompson factory expected to make arrangements to take more city water so as to protect them in case their supply from the pond was not sufficient, and that they would want a three men meter, and that the Anglo-Swiss company had a three inch meter which they did not use, and would sell the city.

On motion the Board decided to purchase such meter on the approval of the Superintendent.

The President stated that the meeting was open for the discussion of the additional water supply.

ADDITIONAL WATER SUPPLY PLANS DISCUSSED.

Mr. Stratton said that he thought very little discussion necessary, after reading the report of the engineers. They present three different plans, one of which they recommend, and as we are looking for the best possible source of supply we should be governed by their judgment, which favors the plan known as Plan No. 2.

Mr. Stratton moved that Plan No. 2 be adopted, the place from where the water is to be taken from the hill to be a matter of discussion. Motion seconded by Dr. Douglas.

The Board then proceeded to discuss the several plans submitted by the engineers.

Mr. Rogers said that four plans were presented, two of which were discussed, and thought, but not enough to warrant him in adopting this plan, for there is one stumbling block in the way, and that is the fact that the engineers are not agreed as to which is the best plan.

Mr. Fellowes said he would rather not vote this evening, as he would like more time to consider the matter.

Mr. Rogers said that he could not vote for a plan on which the engineers cannot agree and that he wanted to study the plans for a longer time.

Dr. Douglas and Mr. Stratton said that a great amount of time and labor had been spent in this matter and they felt that the Board should not put off the matter of an increased supply any longer. Mr. Stratton said that he would modify his original and make it to adopt Plan No. 2.

Mr. Fellowes said that if he voted this evening he would vote against it.

Mr. Boak said once he thought the Board should adopt some plan in this meeting. Mr. Fellowes said that he objects on the ground that the engineers do not say they recommend Plan No. 2, but they stand on Plans Nos. 2 and 3.

Mr. Stratton said that the only point on which the engineers are divided is on whether to take the water from, and that he believed should be decided by the water which can be obtained by either of the other plans suggested. The engineers' report is dated May 15th, 1896, with the following figures for water to be obtained:

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## MATINEE AT THE DRIVING PARK

A Good Attendance—Exhibitions of Fine Horses—Big Field in the Three-Minute Chase—Billy R. Goes in 2:23.

A large crowd of people, among whom were many ladies, attended the matinee given by the Middletown Driving Park Association at the Campbell Track, Saturday afternoon. The affair was promoted by all to be a complete success, and the matinee, of which there were to be several more, promises to become very popular.

Promised at 1:30 o'clock, the first event on the programme, the display of stallions, was begun. The prizes were awarded to W. P. Upgrove's Allie-Rose, H. R. Corwi's Come-Summons, and W. D. Stratton's Pie Lijero.

The three-minute class, mile heats, best two in three, had nine starters. It was an easy win for Mr. W. D. Stratton's Crespo, driven by George Corwin. The horses finished as follows:

Crespo (Corwin) W. D. Stratton ..... 1 1  
Nancy H. Thos. Heanessey ..... 2  
Darling (ord.) (Fog) Ord. Homestead ..... 2  
Whit Wilkes, W. P. Upgrove ..... 3  
Oval L. B. Scott ..... 4  
Prince McIntosh (Wood) Dr. Robt. S. ..... 4  
Hazen P. H. S. Pos. Warwick ..... 5  
May (Athens) W. B. Rovee ..... 6  
Tempt. A. Reynolds ..... 9 9  
Time, 2:45. 2:47.

Mr. C. E. Crawford's boy filly, Miss Gorham, won the first prize in the exhibition of two-year-olds. Mr. Barney Perry's Fritz capturing the red ribbon.

There was only one yearling in the field, Marion Gorham, entered by Mr. Crawford, and all three ribbons were awarded to the little beauty.

Billy R. was successful in his attempt to beat 2:25, going the distance in 2:23. He had lots of speed in reserve, and could have gone much faster. He will make a low mark during the coming season.

Falka had an easy thing over Don, D. in the race for all. Mr. Hoek D. Campbell, owns the former horse, and Mr. George Durkland, of State Hill, owns the latter.

Mr. W. Gibbs officiated as starter and judge of exhibitors; Messrs. Derr and Elstone, of Port Jervis, were judges and timers; Mr. W. F. Royce, clerk of the course, and Mr. H. D. Campbell, manager.

AGAIN ON DUTY.

Conductor McPhee resumed his run on the electric road this morning, after an eight weeks' absence, during which time he was ill with pneumonia.

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What She Has to Contend With—Work That Sooner or Later Breaks Down Her Delicate Organism.

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performed, and many personal matters to be attended to. They have

mending to do, and dresses or bonnets to make, and long into the night they toil, for they must look neat, and they have no time during the day to attend to personal matters.

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